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RE: Application Serial No. 09/505,632
Applicants: Michael C. SCROGGIE et al
Filing Date: February 16, 2000
For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DISTRIBUTING...
Group Art Unit: 2163
Examiner: ROBINSON-BOYCE, A.

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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

**REMARKS IN SUPPORT OF 37 CFR §1.131 DECLARATION
DECLARATION OF MICHAEL C. SCROGGIE (WITH ATTACHMENTS A AND B)
DECLARATION OF NOEL HEAL (WITH ATTACHMENTS A AND B)**

Our check in the amount of \$0.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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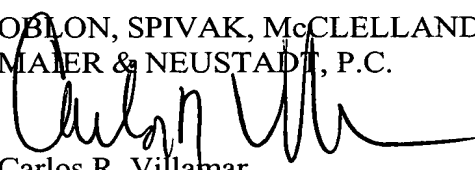
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Further to the Official Action mailed October 3, 2000, and further to the telephone discussion with Examiner Robinson-Boyce on January 24, 2001, declarations of Michael C. Scroggie and Noel Heal under 37 CFR §1.131 including Exhibits A and B are submitted herewith.

Applicants submit that the declarations of Michael C. Scroggie and Noel Heal under 37 CFR §1.131 including Exhibits A and B establish that Allsop et al, U.S. Patent No. 5,970,472, filed May 13, 1997, is not prior art.

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